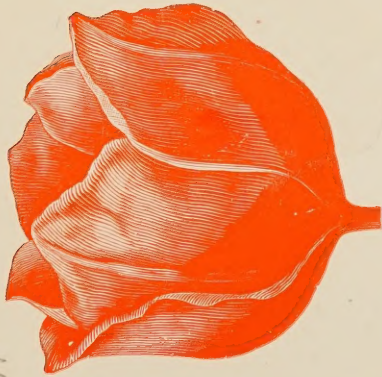


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*Tulips... Daffodils*

PERENNIAL PLANTS—PEONIES—LILY BULBS

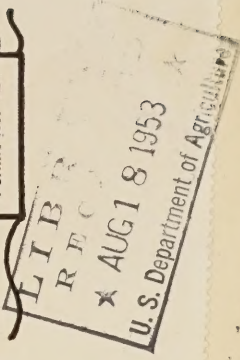
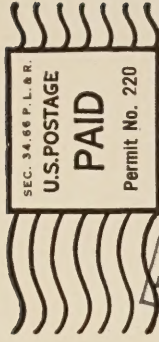
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	Three	Doz.	100
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American Flag (Rembrandt). 24 inches. Dark red with white lines across petals .....	.35	1.20	9.00
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Arlington (D). 26 inches. Blood red with narrow white margin.....	.45	1.50	12.00
Barlagon Maximus (D). 24 inches. Fiery crimson with white base. One of the best.....	.30	1.00	7.50
Belle Jaune (C). 24 inches. Beautiful egg-shaped blossoms of Indian yellow. Enormous size.....	.30	1.10	8.00
Campfire (D). 24 inches. Bright cochineal-red, base prussian blue, feathered yellow-white .....	.30	1.00	7.50
Carrara (C). 28 inches. Pure white with yellow anthers.....	.30	1.00	7.50
Clara Butt (D). 22 inches. Clear salmon-pink. A charming bedding tulip .....	.30	1.00	7.50
City of Harlem (D). 29 inches. Giant, bright glittering scarlet with blue base .....	.35	1.25	9.50
Denver (B). 33 inches. Bright rosy violet, enormous.....	.50	1.75	13.00
Elmus (T). 18 inches. Carmine-red, edged white.....	.35	1.25	9.50
Farncombe Sanders (D). 28 inches. Bright scarlet. Large flower of perfect shape .....	.30	1.00	7.50
Gloria Swanson (D). 32 inches. An enormous flower of American-Beauty red .....	.30	1.10	8.00
Golden Duchess (Lily flowered). 26 inches. Magnificent dark yellow .....	.45	1.50	12.00
Golden Harvest (C). 29 inches. Deep lemon-yellow with a lovely shading of pale green through the blossom.....	.30	1.00	7.50
Indian Chief (B). 34 inches. Indian-brown flushed coppery-brown. Enormous size .....	.35	1.25	9.50
Insurpassable (D). 26 inches. Very large unfading lilac. The finest.....	.35	1.25	9.50
La Tulipe Noire (D). 26 inches. The nearest to black. Deep velvety maroon-black .....	.35	1.25	8.00
Louis XIV (B). 32 inches. Rich purple with golden-bronze edge.....	.35	1.25	9.50
Mrs. John Shepers (C). 28 inches. A giant pure yellow. The largest and best yellow tulip.....	.35	1.20	8.00
Mrs. Moon (C). 25 inches. Lily flowered. The finest late yellow tulip, distinctly perfumed .....	.35	1.20	8.00
Margaux (D). 26 inches. Color of sparkling Burgundy.....	.35	1.20	8.00
Mildred (Lily flowered). 24 inches. Carmine rose.....	.50	1.75	12.00
Montgomery (Rembrandt). 22 inches. Large white, sploched red.....	.40	1.35	10.00
Niphetos (D). 24 inches. Lemon yellow, light base and anthers.....	.30	1.10	8.50
Noble (D). 28 inches. Deep geranium red.....	.75	2.25	14.00
Notre Dame (Lily flowered). 27 inches. Claret red with lilac dusting .....	.45	1.75	13.00
Orange Delight (B). 26 inches. Beautiful orange and bronze.....	.35	1.20	9.00
Picotee (C). (Maiden's Blush). 20 inches. Snow-white with a margin of rose .....	.35	1.20	9.00
Pontiac (B). 26 inches. Orange-red with lilac cast. Real sturdy .....	.45	1.50	11.00
Pride of Haarlem (D). 27 inches. Brilliant American-Beauty red; sweet scented .....	.30	1.00	7.50
Pride of Zwanenburg (D). 24 inches. Old Rose.....	.40	1.35	10.00
Princess Margaret Rose (C). 26 inches. Buttercup yellow with red margin .....	.30	1.00	7.50
Reliance (D). Large violet blue, silvery.....	.40	1.35	10.00
Scarlet O'Hara (D). 25 inches. Brilliant deep red, outstanding.....	.75	2.25	14.00
Smiling Queen (C). 30 inches. Pure rose-red, excellent.....	.50	1.35	13.00
Tantalus (B). 28 inches. Outer petals lilac with yellow edges, inside yellow. Very large flower.....	.35	1.20	9.00
The Bishop (D). 29 inches. Beautiful heliotrope-violet. The finest of this color.....	.40	1.35	10.00
White City (C). 26 inches. Beautiful pure white, with white anthers.....	.40	1.35	10.00
White Duchess (Lily flowered). 23 inches. Beautiful white with laciniated petals.....	.40	1.35	10.00
Winnetou (B). 26 inches. Rose shaded maenta. edged orange.....	.35	1.20	9.00
Zwanenburg (D). 29 inches. Pure white with black anthers.....	.30	1.10	8.00
Zomerschoon (C). 18 inches. Salmon rose flaked white, exquisite.....	.40	1.35	10.00
Rainbow Mixed (D). Mixed from the finest named varieties.....	.25	.85	6.50

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Tall, May-Flowering Tulips with Double Peony-flowered Blossoms

Eros. Old rose, large flower.....	.75	2.25	14.00
Coxa. Brilliant crimson red, yellow base.....	.75	2.25	14.00
Mt. Tacoma. Pure white, large flower.....	.35	1.20	9.00
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These new Parrots all have firm stems to keep the flowers erect

Blue Parrot. 22 inches. Bright violet, shading to steel blue.....	.30	1.10	8.00
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Fantasy. 20 inches. Beautiful salmon-pink, markings of emerald green .....	.30	1.10	8.00
Orange Parrot. 22 inches. Real large fine orange. (New).....	.60	2.00	15.00
Red Champion. 22 inches. Bright crimson red on strong stem .....	.50	1.75	12.00
Sunshine. 16 inches. Pure golden yellow, deeply laciniated.....	.35	1.20	9.00
Violet Queen. 22 inches. Delicate lilac-blue.....	.40	1.50	11.00
Parrots Mixed. An excellent mixture of all shades, new varieties.....	.35	1.20	9.00

### BOTANICAL TULIPS—No. 1 Top Size Bulbs

These wild tulips are fine for the rock garden and border

Fuselier. 8 inches. Beautiful orange-red. Blooms with 4 or 5 flowers at the same time.....	.40	1.35	10.00
Kaufmanniana. 6 inches. Large creamy flower, marked with carmine .....	.60	2.00	15.00
Red Emperor. 14 inches. Beautiful dazzling scarlet.....	.60	2.00	15.00

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Easy to grow indoors, in the home, office, or school room.

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**Giant American Hybrids**—The strain is by far the finest of all Amaryllis. The huge flowers are often six inches in diameter and from three to five on a stalk.

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### CALLA LILIES

Jumbo Size Bulbs

**WHITE CALLA—Maculata**—Large pure white flowers on long stems; spotted foliage.

**YELLOW CALLA ELLIOTTIANA**—Beautiful golden yellow, with spotted leaves.

**PINK CALLA**—Rehmanni. Very unusual flower of rose-pink, changing to cerise.

Prices, any above—Each 60c; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.00

**BLACK CALLA**—Velvety black, without odor.....Each 70c; 3 for \$1.95; 6 for \$3.75

### FREESIA

Large flowers and delightfully fragrant. Should be grown in a cool dark room until flower buds show; then bring to light.

**Rainbow Mixture**—All colors. Large bulbs.....3 for 25c; 90c per doz.

### GLOXINIAS

One of the most satisfactory house plants. Beautiful bell-shape flowers and handsome foliage. Ready in January.

**Princess Elizabeth**—Blue with white throat. **Rio des Rouges**—Dark crimson. **Blanche de Meru**—Rose with white throat. **Mont Blanc**—White.

Alike or assorted.....Each 60c; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

### NARCISSUS

The most popular bulbs for indoors. They may be grown in rocks and water, plant fibre, or soil. Their easy culture makes them the favorite. Fine for home, office or school.

**Paper Whites**—Pure white, very fragrant. Medium size bulbs. Imported from France.

2 for 25c; \$1.25 doz.; \$ 9.50 100

**Paper Whites**—Large size bulbs. Imported from France.

Each 15c; \$1.50 doz.; \$11.00 100

**Soleil D'Or**—Yellow paper-white, deep golden yellow.....2 for 35c; \$1.65 doz.; \$13.00 100

**Chinese Lilies**—White petals and yellow cup center.....Each 15c; \$1.50 doz.; \$10.00 100

### OXALIS

Numerous star flowers and shamrock-like leaves. For pot culture and hanging baskets.

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Medium size bulbs.....Each .35; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75

Large size bulbs.....Each .50; 3 for 1.35; 6 for 2.50

Jumbo size bulbs.....Each .75; 3 for 2.00; 6 for 3.75

**Madonna Lily (Candidum)**. Snow white flowers, with rich perfume, from three to fifteen on a stem. Very hardy, and will thrive in any light garden soil. Cover two inches.

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Large size bulbs.....Each .50; 3 for 1.35; 6 for 2.50

Jumbo size bulbs.....Each .60; 3 for 1.65; 6 for 3.00

**Lily of the Valley**. Small fragrant white flowers, likes shade, bunches of about one dozen .....

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**Golden Chalice Hybrids**. Masses of richly colored, golden up-right cups on tall stems, flower in June.....Each .60; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$3.00

**Olympic Hybrids**. The flowers vary in color from ivory-white through soft green with russet tints on the outside of the petals, flower in July.

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**Red Champion**. Improved Rubrum Speciosum. White with red spots, flowers in late August .....

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**Bulb Planter**—Removes the soil and makes a perfect planting hole.....Each 97c Postage 20c

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3 for 40c; \$1.50 Doz.  
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Botanical Tulip  
Red Emperor  
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Carrara

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The Bishop

Golden Harvest

Campfire

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L'INNOCENCE—Pure White

KING OF THE BLUES—Dark Blue

GRAND MAITRE—Lavender

LA VICTOIRE—Bright Red

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PINK PEARL—Rose

CITY OF HAARLEM—Yellow

Daffodil—Unsurpassable  
Each 30c; 3 for 80c; \$3.00 Doz.

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Crocus Mixed  
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<b>Spring Glory.</b> White perianth, yellow trumpet.....	.60	2.00	15.00
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## NOVELTY DAFFODILS

	Each	3 for	Doz.
<b>Beersheba.</b> The best white trumpet, the magnificent flowers often measure five inches across.....	\$.25	\$ .70	\$ 2.50
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<b>Mrs. R. O. Backhouse.</b> Trumpet shell-pink, perianth of ivory white. Should be in every garden.....	.25	.60	2.25
<b>Insurpassable (New).</b> An outstanding novelty. Extremely large golden yellow.....	.30	.80	3.00
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<b>Scarlet Gem.</b> Beautiful primrose yellow with dazzling orange scarlet eye.....	.20	.50	1.75
<b>Texas (Double).</b> Beautiful yellow, interspersed with orange-red or inner petals.....	.25	.60	2.25
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We have carefully selected the following varieties of peonies. Each variety is of outstanding merit and of the finest quality. Large 3 to 5-eye roots.

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<b>Georgiana Shaylor.</b> Pale rose-pink.....	1.00	2.75
<b>Karl Rosenfield.</b> Large, velvety rich crimson.....	1.00	2.75
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To brighten the border, for naturalizing, or filling in the rock garden. Very hardy. PRICES: 6 at dozen rate; 25 at 100 rate. Postpaid.

### HOLLAND CROCUS

Top Size Bulbs	3 for	Doz.	100
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<b>Queen of the Blues</b> .....	.20	.75	5.50
<b>King of the Striped</b> .....	.25	.90	6.75
<b>King of Whites</b> .....	.25	.90	6.75
<b>Mammoth Yellow</b> .....	.35	1.25	8.00
<b>Remembrance, Dark Blue</b> .....	.20	.75	5.50
<b>Mixed</b> .....	.20	.70	4.50

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Grape-like clusters closely set, splendid for naturalizing.

<b>Armeniacum.</b> Dark cobalt blue.....	3 for 15c;	50c doz.;	\$3.50 per 100
<b>Heavenly Blue.</b> Light blue.....	3 for 15c;	50c doz.;	\$3.50 per 100
<b>Alba.</b> White .....	3 for 15c;	50c doz.;	\$3.50 per 100
<b>Plumosum (Pink Hyacinth).</b> Feathery Plumes of delicate violet; very attractive.....	3 for 15c;	50c doz.;	\$3.50 per 100

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Leucojum. Drooping white bells tipped green, on 18-inch stems.

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<b>Violet Queen.</b> Rich violet mauve. Jumbo bulbs .....	Each 50c;	3 for \$1.35;	6 for \$2.50
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### WINTER ACONITE

This bright yellow little-flower remains in bloom for a long period and has very attractive foliage which enhances its beauty. Plant 2 to 3 inches deep.

3 for 20c; 70c doz.;

### SCILLAS—WOOD HYACINTH

Hyacinth-like flowers on one-foot stems. Excellent to plant in the part shady flower and shrubby border.

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### CHIONODOXAS

**Glory of the Snow.** The charming star-shaped blue flowers are in clusters on 8-inch stems.

3 for 15c; 50c doz.;

### DUTCH IRIS

They come into bloom just after the tulips are gone. The flowers resemble an orchid and are brilliant in color. Plant bulbs five inches deep.

**Wedgewood.** Rich blue with yellow blotch at the tip of each fall.

Large size .....

Jumbo size .....

**Imperator.** Dark blue, large size.....

**White Excelsior.** Pure white.....

**Golden Harvest.** Pure deep yellow.....

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